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SUBJ: INDOCHINESE REFUGEE PROGRAM

REF: VIENTIANE 1985

1. TOTAL NUMBER REFUGEES IN THAILAND ARE ESTIMATED BY RTG
AT 74,850, BROKEN DOWN AS FOLLOWS:

BY AREA

CHIENG RAI AREA	7,500	MEO, LAO, LU, YAO
LOEI	12,000	MEO
NAN	19,000	MEO
UTRADIT	1,300	MEO
UBON	2,400	LAO
NONGKHAI	6,200	LAO
NONGKHAI	8,800	MEO
NONGKHAI	3,000	THAI DAM/VIET
SURIN	3,000	CAMBODIAN
ARANYAPRATHET	3,400	CAMBODIAN
CHANTHABURI	3,800	CAMBODIAN
TRAT	800	CAMBODIAN
SIKHIEU (KORAT)	750	VIET

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JAILS 2,000 MIXED

BOATS	900	VIET
	74,850	
BY ETHNIC		
MEO	41,100	
LAO	8,600	
THAI DAM/VIET	4,650	
CAMBODIAN	11,000	
LAO HILLS PEOPLE	7,500	
MIXED	2,000	
	74,850	

2. REFUGEES AUTHORIZED EPP PAROLE AS OF 30 JUNE 1976:

	CAT I	CAT II	CAT III	CAT IV	TOTALS
MEO	239/1143	94/490	620/3487	0/33	953/5153
LAO	75/264	63/194	447/1384	3/28	588/1870
SUB-TOTAL (314/1407) (157/684) (1067/4871) (3/61) (1541/7023)					
KHMER	80/361	1/1	406/978	0/24	487/1364
VIET	149/659	21/82	111/308	1/19	282/1068
THAI DAM	81/510	4/24	10/73	0/3	95/610
TOTALS	624/2937	183/791	1594/6230	4/107	2405/10,065

3. STATUS OF EPP AS OF 14 AUG AFTER SUBTRACTING RECOUPS (DECIDED TO GO TO FRANCE, REMAIN IN THAILAND, GOT MARRIED, ETC) AND ADDING ADD-ONS (BABIES OF "A" NUMBERED REFUGEES) SHOWS NET DECREASE OF 201 REFS:

	CAT I	CAT II	CAT III	CAT IV	TOTALS
MEO	239/1155	92/478	611/3437	0/33	942/5103
LAO	71/247	59/180	432/1324	3/26	565/1777
LAO					
SUBTOTAL	301/1402	151/658	1043/4761	3/59	1507/6880
KHMER	80/363	1/1	386/943	0/24	467/1331
VN	148/647	21/82	109/300	1/20	279/1049
THAI DAM	81/504	4/24	10/73	0/3	95/604
TOTALS	619/2916	177/765	1548/6077	4/106	2348/9864

4. ICEM DEPARTURES TO U.S. AS OF 13 AUG. NONTE: LAO FIGURE INCLUDES MEO. FYI, TOTAL DEPARTURES BY 31 AUG SHOULD BE ABOUT 5100.

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	CAT I	CAT II	CAT III	CAT IV	TOTALS
LAO	440	234	588	11	1273
KHMER	245	5	473	20	743
VIETNAMESE	437	83	181	16	717
THAI DAM	381	9	17	-	407
TOTAL	1503	331	1259	47	3140

5. SECSTATE UDORN, BANGKOK, GENEVA, DECLASSIFY UPON RECEIPT.

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